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In re Application of:	)	
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Jacques CHEVALLET et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1723
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Application No.: 10/684,463	)	Examiner: Sun U. Kim
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Filed: October 15, 2003	)	
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR IN-LINE PREPARATION OF LIQUID FOR AN EXTRACORPOREAL BLOOD TREATMENT APPARATUS	)	Confirmation No.: 6693

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2006, the period for response to which extends to May 13, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are described on page 2 of this Reply.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this Reply.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this Reply.

Attachments to this Reply include:

1) a Replacement Abstract.